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Abourezk Seeks End To CIA Covert Action

Sen. James Abourezk (D-S.D.) introduced an amendment yesterday to the Foreign Assistance Act which would abolish all clandestine operations of the Central Intelligence Agency.

The measure was prompted

by the recent disclosure in testimony of CIA Director William E. Colby that some \$11 million in covert operating money was targeted against the late Chilean President Salvador Allende in the 1964 and 1970 elections.

In a letter to colleagues

seeking support for the measure, Abourezk defended the intelligence-gathering functions of the CIA but criticized operations which result in "assassinations, sabotage, political disruptions or other meddling in another country's

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